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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF:

LLOYD COOK, RRT LIC. ZA142

LICENSED TO PRACTICE RESPIRATORY CARE IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Respiratory Care upon the review of information submitted which alleged that Lloyd Cook had been criminally charged with committing acts of aggravated sexual assault upon a 10 year old child, A.K., that he was arrested in December 1996 and is currently incarcerated and awaiting trail. The allegations, if true, provide grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(i), for incapacity to discharge the duties of a licensee in a manner consistent with the public's health, safety and welfare; and if convicted of any of the charges, further grounds exist for disciplinary action pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f).

The Board has considered the aforesaid information, and both parties are desirous of resolving this matter without the necessity of further formal proceedings. Respondent, without admitting any of the allegations and having waived any right to a hearing before the Board of Respiratory Care in this matter; and the Board finding that the within Order is

adequately protective of the public health and that good cause exists for its entry:

IT IS THEREFORE ON THIS 13th DAY OF MAY 1997, ORDERED:

- 1. That the license of Lloyd Cook to practice respiratory care in the State of New Jersey is hereby voluntarily surrendered with prejudice. Mr. Cook agrees that he shall not hereafter reapply for reinstatement of such license.
- 2. Lloyd Cook shall immediately forward his license to the State Board of Respiratory Care located at 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey 07101.
- 3. Lloyd Cook shall cease, desist and refrain from the practice of respiratory care in the State of New Jersey.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE

Bv:

Dr. Jorga Gonzalez-Gomez, RRT, REMT

President

I have read the above Order and I understand and agree to abide by its terms. Consent to its entry is hereby given.

Lloyd Cook, RRT